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Enter information for the Class

* International Class: **000**

Current listing of goods/services/nature of the collective membership organization:

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Domestic Representative Information	
The owner/holder may appoint a Domestic Representative if the owner's/holder's address is outside the United States. The following is hereby appointed owner's/holder's representative upon whom notice or process in the proceedings affecting the mark may be served.	
* Representative's Name	
Firm Name	
Docket/Reference Number	
Internal Address	
* Street Address	NOTE: You must limit your entry here, and for all remaining fields within this overall section (except City, see <i>below</i>), to no more than 40 characters (the storage limit for the USPTO database). You may need to abbreviate some words, e.g., St. instead of Street. Failure to do so may result in an undeliverable address, due to truncation at the 40 character limit.
* City	NOTE: You must limit your entry here to no more than 22 characters.
* State	State NOTE: You must include as part of the "City" entry any information related to geographical regions (e.g., provinces) not found in the dropdown lists for "States" or "Countries." Enter the city and then the geographical region, separated by a comma (e.g., Toronto, Ontario). In most instances, you will then also have to select the country within which the region is found, below.
* Zip Code	
Phone Number	
Fax Number	
Internet E-mail Address	<div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div> Check here to authorize the USPTO to communicate with the owner/holder or its representative via e-mail. NOTE: While you may list an e-mail address for the owner/holder, the owner's/holder's attorney, and/or the owner's/holder's domestic representative, only one e-mail address may be used for correspondence, in accordance with USPTO policy . You must keep this address current in the USPTO's records. NOTE: By checking this box, you acknowledge sole responsibility for receipt of USPTO documents sent via e-mail. You should periodically check the status of the filing through the TSDR system, to see if the Post Registration Division has e-mailed an Office action. If an action has been sent to the provided e-mail address, the USPTO is not responsible for any e-mail not received due to e-mail security or anti-spam software, or any other problems with your e-mail system. All sent actions can be viewed on-line, via the TSDR system.



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To attach your file, please note that:

*Click on the 'Attach' button to select the file in JPG/PDF format (not exceeding 5 megabytes per attachment for JPG or 30 megabytes per attachment for PDF) or .WAV, .WMV, .WMA, .MP3, .MPG, or .AVI format (not exceeding 5 megabytes for sound files or 30 megabytes for motion files).

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Fee Information	
Combined §§ 71 & 15 Filing Fee: \$300	
Number of Classes	1
Note: The filing fee is computed based on the Number of Classes in which the goods/services/collective membership organization associated with the mark are classified.	
Combined §§ 71 & 15 Filing Fee (Number of Classes x \$300 (per class))	\$ 300
Grace Period Fee: \$100 (if filing during the six-month grace period, enter the § 71 Grace Period Fee)	
Grace Period Fee (Number of Classes x \$100 (per class))	\$ 0
Total fee paid (Note: The total fees paid is the sum of the Combined §§ 71 & 15 filing fee due and the grace period fee due, if applicable.)	
Combined §§ 71 & 15 Filing fee + Grace Period fee	\$ 300
NOTE: Three payment options (credit card , automated deposit account , and Electronic Funds Transfer) will appear after clicking on the PAY/SUBMIT button, which is available on the bottom of the Validation Page after completing and validating this form.	

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Electronic Signature

To electronically sign this document, enter any alpha/numeric characters (letters/numbers) of **your choosing**, preceded and followed by the forward slash (/) symbol. Most signatories enter their name between the two forward slashes; examples of acceptable "signatures" include: /john doe/; /jd/; or /123-4567/.

DECLARATION

The mark is in use in commerce on or in connection with the goods/services, or to indicate membership in the collective membership organization identified above, as evidenced by the attached specimen(s) showing the mark as used in commerce. The mark has been in continuous use in commerce for five consecutive years after the date of registration in the United States, and is still in use in commerce on or in connection with all the goods/services, or to indicate membership in the collective membership organization in the existing registration. There has been no final decision adverse to the holder's/owner's claim of ownership of such mark for such goods/services, or to indicate membership in the collective membership organization, or to the holder's/owner's right to register the same or to keep the same on the register; and there is no proceeding involving said rights pending and not disposed of either in the United States Patent and Trademark Office or in a court.

The signatory being warned that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that such willful false statements and the like may jeopardize the validity of this submission, declares that all statements made of his/her own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

* Signature	NOTE: Only one signature is required, regardless of the number of owners/holders.	* Date Signed	(MM/DD/YYYY)
* Signatory's Name			
* Signatory's Position	NOTE: Enter the appropriate title or the nature of the relationship to the owner/holder - if an individual, enter "Owner" or "Holder," as appropriate; if an attorney, enter "Attorney of record, [specify at least one state] bar member," e.g., "Attorney of record, New York bar member"; if an authorized signatory of a business entity enter, e.g., "President," "Vice President," "General Partner" (if a partnership), or "Principal" (if a limited liability company).		

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Text Form for E-Signatures

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Signatory's Name	
Signatory's Position	NOTE: Enter the appropriate title or the nature of the relationship to the owner/holder - if an individual, enter "Owner" or "Holder," as applicable; if an attorney, enter "Attorney of record, [specify at least one state] bar member," e.g., "Attorney of record, New York bar member"; if an authorized signatory of a business entity enter, e.g., "President," "Vice President," "General Partner" (if a partnership), or "Principal" (if a limited liability company).
Signatory's Phone Number	

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Text Form for Handwritten Signature Scanning

This option uses a [Text Form](#) (available after clicking on the Validate button) that will be signed by the proper signatory(ies) in the traditional "pen-and-ink" manner. Or, if you already have a signed declaration for this application, you can attach it directly here, rather than relying on the USPTO's text form version. **NOTE:** If you are using the Text Form approach, you must after validation save the application data, and then pull up the saved form to attach the scanned file for final submission.

Click on the **Browse/Choose File** button to select JPG/PDF image file that contains the scanned declaration/signature from your local drive. The scanned file should *only* include the declaration language with the appropriate signature information (signature, signatory's name, signatory's position, and signature date). Do **not** include the entire application, but do ensure that the boilerplate declaration language appears; *i.e.*, a signature by itself is *not* acceptable absent the required declaration language.

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* Signatory's Name	
* Signatory's Position	NOTE: Enter the appropriate title or the nature of the relationship to the owner/holder - if an individual, enter "Owner" or "Holder, " as applicable; if an attorney, enter "Attorney of record, [specify at least one state] bar member," e.g., "Attorney of record, New York bar member"; if an authorized signatory of a business entity enter, e.g., "President," "Vice President," "General Partner" (if a partnership), or "Principal" (if a limited liability company).
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* E-mail for acknowledgment	
To ensure we can deliver your e-mail confirmation successfully, please re-enter your e-mail address(es) here:	
* E-mail for acknowledgment	

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Click on the Pay/Submit button, below, to access the site where you will select one of three possible payment methods. After successful entry of payment information, you can complete the submission to the USPTO. A valid transaction will result in a screen that says **SUCCESS!** Also, we will send an e-mail acknowledgment within 24 hours.

WARNING: Click on the Pay/Submit button below **ONLY** if you are now entirely prepared to complete the Pay/Submit process. After clicking the button, you can **NOT** return to the form, since you will have left the TEAS site entirely. Once in the separate payment site, you must complete the Pay/Submit process within 30 minutes. If you are not prepared to complete the process now, you should select the "Download Portable Data" option to save your form, and then complete the Pay/Submit process later. Or, if you have discovered any error, use the "Go Back to Modify" button to make a correction.

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